

SSP Membership Form

***Membership dues are per adviser not per publication
Please copy this form and complete one form for each
adviser.**

school _____

address _____

city _____ zip code _____

name of adviser _____

years advising _____

e-mail address _____

type of publication: school phone # _____

_____ yearbook

_____ newspaper best time to call _____

_____ broadcast

_____ literary magazine school fax # _____

check one:

_____ middle school (grades 6-8) 2007-08 school

_____ high school (grades 9-12) enrollment? _____

early membership by Oct 2, 2007 meeting: \$20

late membership after Oct. 2, 2007: \$25

Completed forms and dues should be made **payable to SSP** and sent to:
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Serving St. Louis journalism teachers and students

We are an association of senior high school journalism advisers who meet together for mutual support and education and to help improve scholastic journalism in the St. Louis area.

We meet monthly at various schools and eateries to share and support each other. We also sponsor a yearly local journalism conference for students and raise money for scholarships to summer workshops for both students and advisers.

We welcome all publication teachers and offer a mentoring program for new advisers. Please join us.

Join SSP

Member benefits

advisers

- SSP members meet monthly for a dinner meeting so advisers can plan events, socialize, share ideas, exchange curricular materials.
- SSP members receive a membership directory, which includes a list of other advisers in the area.
- SSP members are part of a network of other publications advisers who understand the challenges and rewards of publications work.
- New advisers may request that SSP provide a mentor teacher who will work with them during the year.
- SSP members are eligible for scholarship money for summer workshops/programs through the H.L. Hall Yearbook and Bruce Schneider Newspaper Scholarship Programs.

students

- SSP sponsors mail-in contests, which allow member schools to compete on a local level. In the overall categories, publications that score 75% or better on the evaluation provided by outside judges will be given ratings of Superior, Excellent or Merit.
- SSP member-school students will be eligible to earn scholarship money for summer workshops through the Curtis Kenner Memorial Scholarship Program.

SSP Conference, March 2007

- Brings in journalism specialists in the areas of print and broadcast journalism to share information with students.
- Features on-site and mail-in writing contests.

Fees

Membership per adviser:

- early membership by Oct. 2 meeting: \$20
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Member schools pay a reduced cost per student for the Spring SSP Conference and member schools' students are eligible for summer camp scholarship money.

Mail-in contests: available to member schools only

- Overall Broadcast Contest: \$25
- other contests: \$3 per entry
- Overall Newspaper Contest: \$25
- Overall Yearbook Contest: \$35

broadcast

Feature
News
Sports

newspaper

Black and White Photography
Color Photography
Editorial Cartooning
Front Page Design
Headline Design
Headline Writing
Infographic

yearbook

Sports
Black and White Photography
Color Photography
Cover/Endsheet Design
Headline Design
Headlines Writing
Infographic
Opening Spread
Student Life Spread

Meeting dates and locations

date	day	time	location
Sept. 5	Wednesday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	Ozzie's 645 Westport Plaza
Oct. 2	Tuesday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	Kirkwood High School 801 W. Essex
Nov. 1	Thursday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	DeSmet High School 233 N. New Ballas
Dec. 11	Tuesday	6-6:30 p.m. socialize 6:30-8 p.m. meeting	Old Spaghetti Factory 17384 Chesterfield Airport Rd.
Jan. 9	Wednesday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	Visitation Academy 3020 N. Ballas
Feb. 7	Thursday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	University City H.S. 7401 Balson Ave.
March 5	Wednesday	4-4:30 p.m. socialize 4:30-6 p.m. meeting	Clayton H.S. One Mark Twain Circle
March day tba	TBA	9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. SSP Conference	TBA
April 8	Tuesday	6-6:30 p.m. socialize 6:30-8 p.m. meeting	Eureka H.S. 4525 Hwy 109
May 7	Wednesday	6-6:30 p.m. socialize 6:30-8 p.m. meeting	Casa Gallardo 12760 Manchester Rd